

Psalm 140

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David prays for deliverance from his enemies--The Lord maintains the cause of the poor and afflicted. To the chief Musician, A Psalm of David.

1A G C G C
 Deliver me, O Lord,
 G C G C
 From the evil man:
 G C G C
 Preserve me from
 G C G C
 The violent man;
 G C D
 2B Which imagine mischiefs
 C G C D
 In their heart;
 C G C
 Continually are they gathered
 D C G C G
 Together for war.
 G C G
 3A They have sharpened
 C G C G C
 Their tongues like a serpent;
 G C G
 Adders' poison is under
 C G C
 Their lips. Shelah
 G C D
 4B Keep me, O Lord,
 C G C
 From the hands of the wicked;
 D C G C
 Preserve me from the violent man;
 D C G C G
 Who have purposed to overthrow my goings.

5A G C G C
 The proud have hid a snare
 G C G C
 For me, and cords;
 G C G C
 They have spread a net by the wayside;
 G C G C G C
 They have set (traps) for me. Selah.

6B G C D
 I said unto the Lord,
 C G C
 Thou art my God:
 D C G C
 Hear the voice
 D C G C G
 Of my supplications, O Lord.

7A G C G C
 O God the Lord,
 G C G C
 The strength of my salvation,
 G C G C G
 Thou hast covered my head
 C G C G C
 In the day of battle.

8B G C D
 Grant not, O Lord,
 C G C D
 The desires of the wicked:
 C G C
 Further not his wicked device;
 D C G C G
 Lest they exalt themselves. Selah.
 G C G C

9A G C G C
 As for the head
 G C G C
 Of those that compass me about,
 G C G C
 Let the mischief
 G C G C
 Of their own lips cover them.

10B G C D
 Let burning coals fall upon them:
 C G C D
 Let them be cast into the fire;
 C G C
 Into deep pits,
 D C G C G
 That they rise not up again.
 G C G C

11A G C G C
 Let not an evil speaker
 G C G C
 Be established in the earth:
 G C G C
 Evil shall hunt the violent man
 G C G C
 To overthrow him.

12B G C D
 I know that the Lord
 C G C D
 Will maintain the cause
 C G C
 Of the afflicted,
 D C G C G
 And the right of the poor.
 G C G C

13A G C G C
 Surely the righteous
 G C G C
 Shall give thanks unto thy name:
 G C G C
 The upright shall dwell
 G C G C
 In thy presence.

(Psalms 140:1-13)